



# The Flames of the Dragon

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# Dragon's Lair Finance and Business Meeting Notes

August 6, 2020. Compiled August 9, 2020.

Additional notes from the business meeting are summarized and indicated.

Ciar ingen Fiachnae, Seneschal

## **Baron of Dragon's Lair Finance Meeting Report August 6, 2020**

Committee members:

- Brandy Stier, Branch President
- Michael Aaron Rogers, Treasurer
- David Clough, Committee Member
- Laurie Clough, Committee Member

Other members:

- Wendy McComb, Finance Committee Recording Clerk
- Amanda Zeitler, Incoming Committee Member
- William David Peters, Incoming Committee Member

### 1. Account Balances:

- a. Checking: \$46,242.86
- b. Savings: \$24,297.84
- c. CD: \$10,308.00
- d. Signatories: Working with the bank to complete signature cards. Waiting on approval by SCA main office in Milpitas, CA.

### 2. Event Bids:

- a. Yule Feast 2020 - Since all 'in person' events have been officially cancelled until the end of January, 2021, we want to talk about alternatives to an 'in person' Yule, which will mean a change to the budget. A new bid for Yule Feast, 2020, will be presented to the DLFC for consideration during the month of August. At the Business Meeting / Financial Committee Meeting of May, 2020, a Yule Feast 2020 bid was approved to be held at Marcus Whitman Middle School (Port Orchard). The estimated Site Cost is approximately \$1,000. A contract is in preparation by the school and is due to the Barony for payment in September, 2020.
- b. Candlemas 2021 – Michael Aaron Rogers (AKA Arontius) is proposing to move the venue reserved for Yule Feast 2020, over to Candlemas, 2021. At this point, the budget would stay the same. We will not know with certainty if the venue, Marcus Whitman Middle School, will be open and available for our use next February. We will have a much better feel for this once the 2020-2021 school year resumes in September. We also do not know where we will stand in relation to the Pandemic in the early months of 2021, so there is still a chance that Candlemas may face cancellation as well. A new bid proposal will be submitted to the DLFC during the month of August for consideration.

3. Purchases / Expenditures / Fund-Raising

- a. Request to re-new our rental of the Silverdale Post Office Box for one year, for a cost of \$254.00. Check No. 3618, written on August 6, 2020, was submitted for payment.

4. Administrative Actions:

- a. Their Incoming Excellencies (David Peters (Master Arion the Wanderer) and Amanda Zeitler (HL Kloe of Thira)) are being integrated into the Dragon's Laire Financial Committee and will be official votes on the Committee upon elevation as the next Baron and Baroness of Dragon's Laire. This is to be officially recorded into the Financial Committee Minutes.
- b. Newly updated Barony of Dragon's Laire Financial Policy has been accepted by all required parties and is in the process of being posted to the Baronial Web-Site.
- c. Please welcome Heidi Schulmeyer (AKA HL Adelheide Leeuwin) as the Dragon's Laire Deputy Exchequer. She will be in training to eventually take over the position of Baronial Exchequer and will be warranted as soon as possible.
- d. Second quarter, 2020, Financial Report submitted to Kingdom. Contact the Baronial Exchequer for a copy if interested.
- e. The State of California has once again selected Dragon's Laire to participate in their yearly audit of SCA Financial Reporting. For Round One, they have requested a set of our bank statements and a break-down of income from June Faire 2019. The Baronial Exchequer has scanned all of the required information and has submitted it to the Kingdom Exchequer for disposition as a .pdf. Round Two should arrive before the end of August. The Barony is not given much warning of what exactly will be requested, but all finances surrounding June Faire (income and expenses) are a usual part of the request, so we are anticipating a request for a break-down of costs associated with June Faire in the next round.

5. Long Term Maintenance Agenda Items (Maintained on this agenda until resolved):

- a. Sale of Archery Equipment (Bows and arrows) purchased from Ed Radford estate: Purchased for \$400 (estimated value of between \$1,300 and \$1,600). Plan is to sell as appropriate (SCA usable equipment to SCA participants, and non-SCA equipment to wherever it can be sold). After the initial outlay from the Barony is re-paid, remaining profits will be directed into special funding stream for similar purchases of loaner gear, or gear for new members (for purchase). Dave Peters (Master Arion) is the organizer and director for this action. Latest status? *Sold one bow, no interested so far in the heavy bow. \$100 to pass on to exchequer for the one bow.*
- b. New Baronial Chairs: Check No. 3610, paid 04/29/2020 to DuPuy Creations. Includes \$400 for one chair, and \$100 for shipping. Remainder of \$400, plus an additional \$30 for increase to shipping fees, paid upon completion of thrones. Check No. 3616, in the amount of \$430, was written on July 22, 2020. The new Baronial Thrones were received by Dave Peters over the last week of July, 2020. *Checks cleared.*

- c. Purchase of three Baronial Day Shades: Check No. 3571, paid 03/19/2020 to Ray Baker in the amount of \$1,253.24. Amanda Zeitler (Kloe) monitoring progress and will alert the Barony upon receipt. Canvas was received in June. Poles, ropes, and stakes to be manufactured / acquired and Day Shades assembled for storage. Any change in status? *Need to make poles ...in storage.*
- d. Reservation of Ocean Shores Convention Center in support of Twelfth Night, 2022: Check No. 3568, paid 03/11/2020, in the amount of \$3,000. Accepted and deposited. M. Aaron Rogers (Arontius) monitoring progress in support of event. Since Twelfth Night 2021 was officially cancelled, there is a possibility that the Team organizing and executing that event will move both the Team and Venue (SeaTac DoubleTree Hotel) to Twelfth Night, 2022. If that happens the Ocean Shores Twelfth Night will move to 2023. Both the Shilo Hotel and the Ocean Shores Convention Center have agreed to this happening with no penalties. Both would require new contracts. More to follow as soon if / as official word is received from Kingdom.
- e. Reservation of VFW Hall for A&S Day Camp: Check No. 3562, paid 02/06/2020, in the amount of \$100. Since the Spring Day Camp was cancelled due to Pandemic, the VFW Hall is allowing this check payment to be used for the Fall Day Camp. Since all 'in person' events were cancelled for the remainder of 2020, and we do not want this expense to sit beyond the fiscal year (which would affect our financial records), we requested, and received, a refund from the VFW. Wendy McComb (Gwenllyn Potter) was the monitor for this activity.
- f. Purchase of 'Gender Buttons': Check No. 3546, paid 12/15/2019, in the amount of \$137.50. Current status of purchase and re-sell / dispersal? Jessica Bennet (Jess) maintains support of this project. Latest status? *They are being worked on.*
- g. At the Financial Committee Meeting of December, 2019, \$150 was approved for the rental of an Industrial Sewing Machine to be used in the manufacture of storage bags for the Baronial owned canvas pavilions. This sewing machine was also to be made available to the Populace over the length of the rental period for various individual projects. The sewing machine was to be rented from a facility in Kent but was not available for several months. Then the current mandated lock-down took effect. This action and reservation of funds will remain in place until such time as the ability to make this happen comes available again, or until the end of calendar year 2020 (at which time it will be dissolved and re-established as necessary in 2021). No check has yet been cut in support of this action.
- h. At the Business Meeting / Financial Committee Meeting of May, 2020, the Baronial Steward proposed to the Baronial Financial Committee a purchase of stamps to identify individual canvas storage bags for items contained within the Storage Unit. There will be eight stamps, manufactured by our local artisan, Skalla (YAFA Minister), with a total anticipated price estimated to be \$400. This was accepted by Committee. Manufacture in process. No check has been issued yet in support. *Being worked on, will see one a week for the next few months.*
- i. Subscription to Zoom Video Conferencing: The Baronial Seneschale and Web-Minister requested, and received approval for the Barony to purchase a one-year subscription of Zoom Digital Teleconferencing to be used by the Barony with option to purchase additional individual months as needed in support of Baronial activities. Check No. 3613, 06/27/2020, in the amount of \$16.33 was written for one month's worth. Check No. 3617, 08/2/2020, in the amount of \$152.33 was written to fulfill a one-year subscription.

- j. Check for Baronial Donation to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer fund was processed. Check No. 3620, in the amount of \$159.39. Laurie Clough (AKA Her Excellency Eilidh) provided the leadership to see this Fund-Raising Project through. This organization is a 501(c)3 registered organization (EIN 75-1835298) which allows the Barony to transfer Baronial held funds to this organization.
- k. David Clough and Laurie Clough (Their Excellencies Conchobar and Eilidh) will be donating \$20 to purchase the old Baronial Throne pillows which are no longer useful as they do not fit the new Thrones and would most likely be disposed. Approval of Financial Committee at the August, 2020, DLFC Meeting, was obtained for this action.

New bags and cushions for the new Baronial Thrones are in the planning process now. Amanda Zeitler (AKA HL Kloe of Thira) has all the materials needed for the bags. An RFQ was made part of the Exchequer's Report for August seeking support for the manufacture of new cushions: "Request-For-Quote (RFQ): The new Baronial Thrones need new seat cushions. We are seeking an artisan / craftsperson to create these items. The Barony of Dragon's Laire is rich in talented individuals who could perform this vital service to the Barony. If you are interested, please contact either the Baronial Exchequer, or their Incoming Excellencies Arion and Kloe. We can help with design, as well as putting together a bid."

## Business Meeting Reports and Notes:

Baron and Baroness: Baron Conchobar Mac Eoin, Proconsul, and Baroness Eilidh Keldeleth, Proconsula

Proconsul Conchobar Mac Eoin, by the hand of the Sable Lion, Baron of Dragon's Laire and Proconsula Eilidh Keldeleth, likewise Baroness of Dragon's Laire to the Noble, Amazing and Beautiful Barony of Dragon's Laire, Salve!

It is with mixed emotion and a sense of bittersweet that we submit our last report as Baron and Baroness. These six years have been amazing and we are humbled by your trust in letting us serve this Barony. It has been the greatest honor of Our SCA lives. A duty We hope We have discharged with dignity, humility, and the respect to the position of being Baron & Baroness of the most amazing barony in An Tir deserves. We got to do many of the things we set out to do. All of which We sincerely hope served to make the Barony a stronger community, and provide a place for everyone at Her table. But as is the nature of such things there is plenty left undone. We have the utmost confidence in those set to follow us. You will be well served by Our Successors, Baroness Kloe and Baron Arion.

As you likely know, all official SCA activities are suspended until January 31st 2021. This does not mean that things stop. There are several opportunities to meet and greet and take classes and mingle and network virtually. While it is not the preference, and certainly not what we in the SCA are used to, it is the safest and wisest course. We encourage you to participate in Tuesday night Social. It is so nice to see the faces of our fellow Dragon's Laire populace. It will do your spirit good. Also, one of the surprising benefits of all SCA activities moving online are classes. We are actually getting chances to participate in things we might not normally have participated in. Check the Baronial website or Facebook for information. There are lots of opportunities to still be involved.

As will all things at this time, Our Baronial transition is taking place virtually and will be posted once it is all complete. The plan, as We currently understand it, is for Us to submit a digital version of Our last court, and Our official stepping down ceremony, including the releasing of Champions and Sargents, to Kingdom. Those will be released according to Their Majesty's schedule, likely in September. Our final court will consist mostly of Us saying farewell as your Baron and Baroness, and welcoming Our successors, and expressing our sincere thanks to the Amazing populace of Dragon's Laire. The final awards We had planned to hand out at June Faire, and at our final in person court will wait till we can meet once again safely and in person. Her Ladyship Kloe and Master Arion have most graciously and generously afforded Us time in Their first in person court to take care of these final bits of business. Their Excellencies of Dragon's Laire, Kloe and Arion will also be submitting Their stepping up ceremony to the Kingdom and that too will be released in due time. There are many moving parts in this process so it has taken a bit of time but all the pieces should be in place by next month.

In closing, We are extremely grateful for this opportunity to serve Dragon's Laire, Her populace, and the Kingdom of An Tir. We are deeply thankful to all our Officers, Champions and Court who have served Us and Dragon's Laire so honorably. You are truly the reason why this Barony is the wonderful place it is.

We thank you ALL. It has been an amazing ride. We now look forward to the next adventure and are eager to serve Their Excellencies of Dragon's Laire, Kloe and Arion, and the Crowns of An Tir.

As always, In joyful service.

Baron Conchobar MacEoin Proconsul

Baroness Eilidh Kedeth Proconsula

6th Baron & Baroness of Dragon's Laire

[Seneschal: THL Ciar ingen Fiachnae](#)

Greetings to the Sun Kissed Barony of Dragon's Laire!

I have business for you this month!

As has been announced, the Board of Directors has declared that there will be no in-person events in the North American branches until January 31st, 2021 with re-evaluation at that time. They have left activities to the discretion of the Kingdom Seneschal and the Crown. I spoke with the Kingdom Seneschal on the 3rd and can confirm that all activities are still cancelled through August.

Druim Doineann. Our neighborly Shire has gone into abeyance. I have been in touch with both the Kingdom Seneschal and several members of their branch. For now, the Kingdom is working with the Shire to transfer business side of things around. To those members who may see this update - please continue participating regionally and remember that you are welcome at Dragon's Laire!

A task from the Dexter Gauntlet! I have failed :(

Many months ago, the Dexter Gauntlet sought a list of all of the previous Officers from all of the branches of An Tir. I picked up the challenge thrown, cast out for information, and prepared to spend many ours in front of a spreadsheet. And I have failed.

Our early records are fragmented, lost to time and base transfer. THL Rycheza provided assistance with a document listing the names and positions found in the Flames but they were done once every 3

months, ish. The Wayback Machine can give access to the early versions of the website, but it occasionally contradicts the Flames and, as I am most familiar with, is not always up-to-date.

So, I bring the task to you. If you have served the Barony as an Officer or Deputy Officer and would like that role listed on the An Tir Order of Precedence, please follow these instructions:

1. Prepare to email the Dexter Gauntlet at [dextergauntlet@antir.org](mailto:dextergauntlet@antir.org)
2. Provide:
  - a.) Your name as it is on the OP or the link to your profile
  - b.) A list of the Office, the years, and the start and end month.

Notes:

1. You can submit information for someone who has since passed away.
2. I have the spreadsheet from THL Rycheza and, if you email me, I can provide you the months that you are listed between 1992 and 2009.
3. Please do not send her your SCA resume and request she pick through the information. She is a busy woman.

And last but not least!

An offer has been made to sponsor up to 4 Dragon's Laire families for membership in the SCA. If this assistance would be of use, please email [DragonsLaire.Seneschal@antir.org](mailto:DragonsLaire.Seneschal@antir.org). The offer is anonymous (thank you Good Noble!) and, thanks to the magic of forms and email, should be able to keep your information private as well.

We are looking for classes, demos, and presentations to share during evening Social! The Barony purchased a year long Zoom membership and use of it is also available for SCA related activities - guild meetings, event meetings, stich-n-twitch nights...

Be well,

Ciar ingen Fiachnae  
Seneschal

[Exchequer: Master Arontius of Byglelswade](#)

AUGUST EXCHEQUER REPORT -

Barony of Dragon's Laire Exchequer Report

August Business Meeting – August 6, 2020

1. Account balances are listed in the Baronial Financial Committee Meeting minutes for August, 2020. If you wish to review those numbers, please contact the Exchequer directly.
2. The updated Baronial Financial Policy has been accepted by all required authorities and will soon (if it isn't already) be posted to the Baronial Web-Site.
3. Actions from the July, 2020, Financial Committee Meeting:
  - a.) Request-For-Quote (RFQ): The new Baronial Thrones need new seat cushions. We are seeking an artisan / craftsperson to create these items. The Barony of Dragon's Laire is rich in talented individuals who could perform this vital service to the Barony. If you are interested, please contact either the Baronial Exchequer, or their Incoming Excellencies Arion and Kloe. We can help with design, as well as putting together a bid.



b.) The existing Baronial Throne cushions will not fit the incoming Baronial Thrones. Instead of being disposed, or going into storage, it was decided they could be sold to Their Excellencies Conchobar and Eilidh. The Barony agreed to a \$20 price for them. The Financial Committee approved this sale.

c.) Check for Baronial Donation to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer fund was processed. Check No. 3620, in the amount of \$159.39. High praises to Her Excellency for providing the leadership to see this Fund-Raising Project through. This organization is a 501(c)3 registered organization (EIN 75-1835298) which allows the Barony to transfer Baronial held funds to this organization.

d.) Payment for renewal of the Silver Post Office Box was approved in the amount of \$254.00 for one year.

e.) Because all in-person events are officially cancelled through January, 2021, our original event bid for Yule Feast, 2020, is now void. Proposed is to turn Yule Feast into a Virtual Event, complete with a day of online activities, an Online Evening Court, and a 'Take-Out Feast'. Details are being put together and will be presented as a new bid to the Baronial Financial Committee as soon as ready. The original venue for Yule Feast, 2020, will be utilized for a Candlemas, 2021, bid being put together by the same Team at this time. Keeping in mind the possibility that Candlemas may very well be cancelled due to Pandemic concerns.

f.) All other actions were updated to the existing standing agenda. If you have questions on any of them, please contact me and I will provide whatever information you seek.

5. The second quarter Financial Report from the Barony to Kingdom was completed and turned in to the Kingdom Regional Deputy.

6. The Barony of Dragon's Laire was once again selected to take part in the annual California State Audit of SCA Finances for 2019. This year, to date, they have requested our bank statements and a break-down of June Faire 2019 income and expenses. This information has been provided to them.

7. The Office of Exchequer has a tentative Deputy Exchequer. HL Adelheide Leeuwin (MKA Heidi Schultmeyer) has requested this tasking and will now be in training for this Office. Many, many thanks to this wonderful person for taking on this role.

8. If you need to contact the Baronial Exchequer for any reason, e-mail is the best method, [arontius@comcast.net](mailto:arontius@comcast.net). The second-best method is through a Facebook PM. However, any official correspondence has to come through the Baronial Exchequer e-mail account, [dragonslaire.exchequer@antir.org](mailto:dragonslaire.exchequer@antir.org)

Steward: THL Kloe of Thira, Deputy m'Lady Lucy of Smithshall

Librarian: THL Ela Pennayth y Ynis Dewi

No report submitted.

Marshallate

Hail Dragon's Laire, oh glorious and dreaded barony,

Here in is you Baronial Marshall Report for the month of July 2020.

We have reached the very peak of our raiding season, where hot winds fill our sails and heat our blood for righteous combat, but still our axes, spears, and swords are stayed. For until the threat of pestilence passes we must tend to hearth and guard our doors.

In accordance with Crown Decree and State Law there have been no Fighter practice, or Combat Event to report, thank you all and stay healthy.

In Service  
Conrad Ross  
Baronial Marshall

Chief Archer: Lady Artunis of Dragon's Laire

Lists: THL Liu Xian  
No report submitted

Rapier: Baron Jacques de Normandie, OWS  
No activity - no report.  
I did file my quarterly, which says basically the same thing.

Siege: THL Arqai Ne'urin

Thrown Weapons: Lord Telemon of Crete  
No report submitted

Youth Armored Combat: Titus Octavius  
No report submitted

Minister of Arts & Sciences: **Looking for an Officer**

Chronicler: **Looking for an Officer**

Golden Dragon Pursuivant (Herald): Countess Elisabeth de Rossignol

Chatelaine: Lady Isemay MaKenze **Looking for a Step Up Officer**

Welcomed one person who is looking into the SCA.  
Hope everyone is staying safe and Healthy.  
This too shall pass and we can resume our gatherings and events.  
I am still looking for a Deputy who eventually would like to step up as a Chatelaine.  
YIS Isemay MaKenze

Webminister: Lord Máenach na Cailled **Looking for a Deputy or two**

Welcome to August, or for those of the Roman persuasion, welcome to Sextilis!

First, a reminder for newer officers: while it is recommended that you also submit your monthly report on both Facebook, as many of our Populace choose to receive their Baronial news there, the official copy of your report should be submitted using the form on our website. This form sends your report to various Officers of the Barony, including the Chronicler and the Seneschal, as well as the Baronial email list. The form can be accessed here: <https://dragonslaire.antir.org/wordpress/resources/submit-a-monthly-report/>

My Webminister duties for the past month have been focused in a few areas:

- regular small updates to the Baronial website
- settling the dust on our transition to Zoom for virtual functions
- cleaning up the Baronial calendar
- reducing the technical complexity of the Baronial website

As many of you know, I tend to update the website in batches. As always, please let me know if you encounter any mistakes or inaccuracies on the site, or if you're aware of any missing information or have requests for new content. In this particular month I owe an apology to our Chatelaine, Isemay MaKenze: due to some miscommunication I had listed the office as vacant, which is not correct. The issue has been fixed and I apologize to anyone who might have been confused by the temporarily incorrect information.

We continue to use Zoom for our online functions, both for our weekly Social and for our monthly Finance and Business Meeting. With Ciar's assistance I have creating long-lasting links to join either meeting; unlike Teams, these links will not change each time. These links have been posted on Facebook and sent to the email list, and I will include them here as well. I also recently built a "how to" page for Zoom to help anyone who's unsure of how to install or use it. Please let me know if you have suggestions for improving the page!

\* Social: <http://tiny.cc/v3uksz>

\* Business Meeting: <http://tiny.cc/dxoasz>

\* Instructions for Using Zoom: <https://dragonslaire.antir.org/wordpress/resources/using-zoom/>

For some time I have been dragging my feet on... I mean... semi-actively working to migrate the Baronial calendar to one hosted within the Office 365 framework so that it would be easier to integrate with our official email accounts. This past month I ran into some roadblocks -- specifically, it appears that certain features related to sharing calendars are turned off for our accounts. I asked our Kingdom Webminister for assistance on this and the response I got back was "I recommend google calendar" -- so I guess I will stick with our existing calendar. With that in mind, I tried to clean up and update the calendar to try to reduce confusion regarding our online meetings. The calendar should be up-to-date and accurate now; if you notice any issues, please let me know.

Finally, I have been doing some behind-the-scenes work to reduce the technical complexity of our website. While I don't have any specific plans to leave this position, I aim to reduce the amount of arcane sorcery demanded of the next Webminister. This can also be seen as putting work in now so that I can be lazy later, which is practically the definition of a programmer. Anyway, the main thing I'm working on in this department is trying to move the code which interfaces with the An Tir OP into a Wordpress plugin so that I might maintain it separately from the website. Progress is slow but I hope to have the separation completed some time this calendar year. If all goes smoothly the change should not be noticeable when visiting the site, but should in the long run free up some of my time and the time of any future Webministers.

Be excellent to each other,

Máenach na Cailled

Scribe: THL Rhiannon of Eagle's Flight [Looking for a Step-Up Deputy](#)

Social Media: THL Kösem of House Awry

No report submitted.

Youth and Family Activities: THL Bera-Skall Hrafnisdottir of House Awry

Hello, my LOVELY and Fearsome Barony!

This month we discussed holding online interactive classes for our youth. I have a few ideas for classes, such as papermaking, cord weaving (make medieval friendship bracelets! Or make your own shoelaces, whatever makes you happy) , simple book binding, and a medieval kid's cooking class. The lovely and talented Ciar will be helping with the cooking one. If you have interest in doing a kid's class online, please let me know and I'll make sure you get on the schedule. I love input, so if you or your kids have questions, requests, or any kind of comment, please contact me and I'll do my utmost for you.

The YAFA program is getting a lot of updating and work done, and so I participated in a meeting with a number of YAFA officers to promote change and improvement. If you have any feedback about YAFA, please give it to Ciar or myself and we will get it to the Kingdom officer. I urge you to check out the new worksheets because there's a lot new and improved. If you have suggestions for new worksheets, such as any kind of fiber art weaving, dyeing, processing wool/flax/fibers, anything at all, please contribute. We are made better by the input of the populace.

Yours in Service,  
Skalla

## Guilds & Groups

Culinary & Spirit-makers: THL Ciar ingen Fiachnae

Greetings!

The Guild has had a quiet month! The Iberian Peninsula is still our research area of interest, in support of that, I recommend the 'SCA Iberia' Youtube Channel! They hosted the Known World Colegia de Iberia and are processing and posting the weekend's videos. This includes several cooking classes on sources and live demos of redacted recipes.

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2RmLGx\\_KiNzoFiM6GAu5Hg/videos](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2RmLGx_KiNzoFiM6GAu5Hg/videos)

I hope everyone is doing well and taking the time for some cooking, period or modern or in-between!

Ciar ingen Fiachnae

Scribal: Maitre Renart le fox de Berwyk

No report submitted.

Research Corpus: Magistra Aelianora de Wyntringham

No report submitted.

## Events & Event Steward Reports

*Yule 2020: Master Arontius*

*Candlemas:*

*Arts & Sciences Play Day (Spring):*

*June Faire 2021: Sir Andras Trumark*

*Arts & Sciences Play Day (Fall): tentative Countess E*

## New Business or Oh-by-the-ways?

- Dragon's Laire YouTube! The page has been set up and verified by Baron Jacque (thank you!) and is now seeking content. If you have SCA or Dragon's Laire content that you fill would be appropriate, please send it to [Webminister.dragonslaire@antir.org](mailto:Webminister.dragonslaire@antir.org). We do need a release form and you can find more information about which form and the forms here:
  - o Forms explanation <https://www.sca.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/ReleaseFormsFAQsWEB.pdf>
  - o Go <https://www.sca.org/resources/document-library/> and scroll down to Publications: Release Forms
- Master Arion has been doing research into Sergeantry and how other branches in An Tir have been conducting theirs. Right now he is gathering information and then plans to discuss with THL Kloe and then the current Sergeants and then the Populace. More information on that in the next few months.
- Virtual Grete Boke! As people are cleaning and rearranging during these 'stay home, stay safe' times, please keep in mind the Dragon's Laire Grete Boke project! There is supposed to be space on the Dragon's Laire website to go poking through the history of Dragon's Laire – pictures, newspaper articles, old maps, art, filks...
- The open Minister of Arts & Sciences position was brought up. One application has been received and it will be reviewed by the Seneschal, Their Excellencies, and the incoming Excellencies for approval.